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Paul Amstutz 807 Morrow Rd Nashville, TN 37209

Dear Mr. Amstutz:

Thank you for your generous gift of *The Jacob and Josephine Gerig Family Tree* It is a welcome addition to our collection of family and local history materials ar I am sure it will be of great use to the hundreds of researchers who use the facilities of the Historical Genealogy Department each week. It is through the generosity of individuals such as yourself that our department is able to main' its margin of excellence. I deeply appreciate your interest in our collection.

Sincerely,

Curt B. Witcher

Manager

The Genealogy Center

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- Henry Roth

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Hello:

Henry Roth was married to my Grandma Amstutz' oldest sister. I've included some of my dad's genealogy so you will know how we all fit together.

I'm sorry if you find any mistakes in this; I tired to correct all of errors that the scanner misread of the original, but I may have missed a few. I'm also sorry about the cheep notebook, but that's all I could afford. I figure this would protect the papers until they got to you and then they could be put into one of better quality.

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I. JOSEPH GERIG born 1769

II. REV. (BISHOP) JOSEPH GERIG June 23, 1786 - Dec. 1873. Married M. Elizabeth Tehanz - 1817 -April 8, 1817.

Elizabeth died in France at the birth of Joseph P. Joseph (II) never remarried and migrated to America with 3 children. Homesteaded 4 miles North of Leo.

Children - Elizabeth, Barbara, Joseph P.

III. REV. (BISHOP) JOSEPH P. GERIG Dec. 13, 1824 Married Marie Anna Schlatter 1848

Children migrated to America

JOSEPHINE - Feb. 24, 1849 - Feb. 16, 1930

Barbara (Schlatter) - 1850 - 1890

Christian - May 14, 1852 - Mar. 9, 1879

Children born in America

Joseph Jr. (never married)

Benjamin S. Oct. 14, 1860 - Mar. 31, 1924

Mary (Stucky) Oct. 1, 1865 - July 29, 1952

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REV. JOHN GERIG - 1806. - Oct 16, 1859

Married Magdalena Ruby

March 2, 1829.

She was born on June 22, 1800

and died Nov. 6, 1876.

Migrated to Leo, Ind. in 1852 with his 8 children. Homesteaded on Abe Steiner Farm 2 miles North of Leo, Ind. Their children were:

Barbara (Stucky) - Jan. 17, 1830 - Sept 1, 1913 Christian (never married) Aug. 25, 1831 - Jan. 29, 1909

Joseph - Feb

Feb. 16, 1833 - Nov. 6, 1893

John (never married)

Mar. 28, 1835 - Apr. 3, 1913 Jan. 7, 1837 - Nov. 29, 1913

Magdalena (Grabill) -Andrew (no children)

Oct. 14, 1839 - June 18, 1922

Peter -JACOB - Apr. 24, 1842 - Nov. 12, 1918 Sept. 17, 1844 - Dec. 23, 1887

JOSEPHINE AND JACOB married August 17, 1865

Children

- 1 Leah (Roth)
- 2 Anna (Ringenberg)
- 3 Benjamin P.
- 4 Samuel (never married; died at age 24)
- 5 Ida (Witmer)
- 6 Joseph (never married; died at age 33)
- 7 Jonas
- 8 Martha (Amstutz)
- 9 Simon
- 10 Emma (never married)
- 11 Jacob
- 12 Menno
- 13 Josephine (Strayer)

Amos Amstutz: his d. of b. Dec. 24, 1875 in Berne, Ind.

On Sept. 26, 1903 he m. Martha Gerig: her d. of b. Feb. 14, 1879; and her d. of d. Aug. 28, 1950. His d. of d. March 25, 1947 Children by Martha:

1-3 Truman Amstutz: d. of b. Feb. 26, 1906 at Berne, Ind. May 12, 1934 he m. Ella Hieman: d. of b. July 1, 1908; her d. of d. 12-07; his d. of d. Nov. 26,1981. They had no children

1-4 LaVerne Amstutz: his d. of b. Dec. 10, 1913. On May 17, 1937 he m. Pearl Adams: d. of b. June 14, 1911, and d. of d. March 7, 1997; His d. of d. Nov. 17 1983. Their children: Ronnie and Sandra

1-5 Harold Amstutz: his d. of b. Dec. 8, 1908. On May 18, 1946 he m. Bernil French: her d. of b. Sept. 23, 1914; and her d. of d; Oct. 2, 2000. His d. of d. March 14, 08. They had no children

1-6 Winfred Amstutz; his d. of b. Sept. 9, 1917. On Aug. 26, 1948 he m. Lucille Fisher; her d. of b. June 25, 1918 and her d. of d. Jan 30, 2005; his d. of d. May 28, 2002. Their children: Carol and Paul